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## In the Abstract:

Please replace the abstract with the following:

The present invention relates to a corrugated pipe connecting arrangement [[comprising]] having a corrugated pipe with corrugations extended transverse to its longitudinal axis, which can be arranged at substantially identical distances from each other [[, wherein said]] . The corrugated pipe is formed with a one-piece plain region at at least one end [[, said]]. The plain region [[comprising]] has an abutment section, and can engage with a connecting element which may be merged with [[said]] the plain region and [[said]] the abutment section.